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Dear Sir/Madam,

I am writing in regard to Docket No. 03-101-2, the Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service's (APHIS) intent to prepare an environmental impact statement (EIS) relative to its consideration of a petition received from Monsanto Company and The Scotts Company for a determination of nonregulated status for GE creeping bentgrass. It is critical that APHIS conduct an environmental impact statement on GE creeping bentgrass, as the release of this GE organism has unique potential to negatively impact the natural environment.

As an Arborist I am very aware of what an invasive species can do. I think that the genetically modified grass has the potential to become invasive.



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